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Sir:

This a request for an application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and (f)

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s) Reinhold Berberich

For: OVERVOLTAGE PROTECTION DEVICE

Enclosed are:

- [X] 14 pages, abstract, specification, and claims; unsigned declaration (1 page)
- [X] 4 soft 8.5"x11" size drawing sheets (Figs. 1-6) attached to application



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